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In re Application of

Eldridge, et al.

Application No. 10/815,400

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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed March 23, 2010, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to file a proper reply to the final Office action mailed September 14, 2009, which set a three (3) month shortened statutory period for reply. The application became abandoned on December 15, 2009. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 23, 2010.

The Notice of Appeal, filed March 23, 2010, has been entered and made of record. Accordingly, the two-month period for filing an appeal brief (accompanied by the fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(c)) runs from the date of this decision.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center28, GAU 2829 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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